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TORTUOUS LOVE PATH

CHINESE WIFE PROVING HER RIGHT TO JOIN HUSBAND

Kut Yong, Nineteen Year Old Wife of Tim Yee May Have to be Deported to China.

The Chinese cases now coming before Judge Estee are of a character that tax the heart as well as the mind of the Court. Some of them especially appeal to the humanity of the judge, whatever the merits may be at law. The case of Kut Yong, a nineteen year old married Chinese woman, who is now being tried in the Federal Court as to her right to reside on American soil, brings to light a pretty romance which the stern requirements of the Exclusion Act may shatter.

The taking of evidence was concluded yesterday and argument of attorneys has been set for next Tuesday. The defendant bases her right to reside here upon two grounds: first, that she was born here; second, that she is married to a Chinese merchant, who is a prosperous United States citizen. Witnesses testified that her husband was born on this island, that he became a citizen of the Republic and that he is therefore a citizen of the United States. The charming little woman is absolutely sure that an American citizen has a right to have his wife reside with him.

The prosperous husband is Mr. Tim Yee, who says he was born down in the country and came to Honolulu when he was eight or nine years of age. Here he played with little four-year-old Kut Yong until she was taken away to China. Four years ago, Tim made a trip to China himself and found his former playmate. At sight their old time childhood affection blazed up and a wedding followed. Now that she wishes to join her young husband in their native home, trouble mountain high confronts them both. The little woman watches Judge Estee, during the course of the trial, as if he were St. Peter about to pass on her eligibility to enter through the Pearly Gates.

Officer Tracy on Sanitation for June

Aside from the usual statistics the report of City Sanitary Officer Tracy for the month of June contains the following: "I am glad to be able to report that the Public Works Department has filled two condemned ponds on Queen street near South." Mr. Tracy also reports the completion of a sewer on Ala lane, this was brought about by his efforts, the property owners paying for the improvement pro rata. He recommends that sewers be put in from Relief Camp No. 2 to Liliha street; on King from Liliha to Dowsett lane; on Emma street; on College walk; from Vineyard to King; on River street from Beretania to Kukui; along Kukui to Fort street with sewers one block in either direction on Nuanuan street and on Fort street, thus draining the whole of that portion of town.

Attention is called to an extremely offensive ditch at Iwilei near the government wash houses.

THE WORLD'S ENTERTAINERS

Owing to the fact that Wednesday is usually an off night at the Opera House and perhaps the high wind last night, there were more vacant seats in the Opera House than the performance merited. There was no lack of enthusiasm, however, and the program went through in first class shape letting out a little earlier than on Tuesday.

There is a general change in the bill tonight. Lee amongst his other impersonations will include Schley, Roosevelt and Oom Paul. Miss Gwynne will sing the Fatal Rose of Red and The Holy City, while all the artists

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will vary their acts. The management particularly desires it to be understood that the company is playing every night and not every other evening as has usually been the custom at the Opera House.

Pleasantly Irene's rooster flapped away from her last night but the descendant of a race long credited with special intimacy with the matter of chickens, plunged after the fowl and rescued it from the audience. Miss Gassman sang Aloha, Oe in native last night to hearty applause.

MAN WHO SPOKE THE JOHN McDONALD HERE

Second mate Gough of the American ship Fort George now here was the mate of the bark Adderley which was the last vessel to speak the ill fated ship John McDonald supposed to have blown up, killing all hands when near the coast of California. The Adderley and McDonald passed within a quarter of a mile of one another and exchanged signals. After telling who they were and where bound the McDonald set the signal "ship on fire." This was read by mate Gough who reported it to Captain Berquist. The captain thought the mate had made a mistake and as the McDonald did not ask for assistance, the Adderley proceeded to Newcastle.

At the time the McDonald was spoken she was about 700 miles from San Francisco and at the rate she was going should have reached her destination in four or five days. She had a good trade wind and was going along at a six or seven knot clip.

ASKS U. S. TO BUY ALL COFFEE GROWN HERE TO ENCOURAGE PLANTING

Secretary of Interior Has Submitted Governor's Proposition to Various Heads of Washington Departments.

Some time ago Acting Governor Cooper wrote the Secretary of the Interior on the matter of encouraging the industry of growing coffee in the Territory of Hawaii. The following letter has been received in reply: The Governor, Honolulu, Hawaii, June 19, 1901.

Sir:—Your letter of 4th inst has been received, calling attention to the fact that, owing to the low prices obtained by coffee growers in Hawaii during the past two years, it has been difficult for the small growers to make a living and, unless some relief is afforded, they will be obliged to abandon their plantations.

In calling my attention to the matter, you state that in event of its not being practicable for Congress to afford relief, the Government authorize the purchase for its use the coffee grown in Hawaii.

In response thereto, I have to state that copies of your letter have been forwarded to the heads of the several executive departments for such action as may be practicable.

Very respectfully,
E. A. HITCHCOCK.

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DEATH OF MRS. HORNER AT KUKIAU SATURDAY

Full of years and attended by her aged husband and large family, Mrs. J. M. Horner, of Kukiaua, passed from this life at the family home on Hawaii on Saturday last.

Mrs. Horner had passed the three score and ten years allotted to mortals and after a short illness breathed her last. She was buried on Monday last.

Mrs. Horner was the mother of William, J. J. Albert, Robert and Annie Horner and of Mrs. C. R. Blacow. Besides these children there are fourteen grandchildren surviving her. She was very well known here, having resided in the islands with her husband for many years. She and her sister married brothers, the late W. Y. Horner of Lahaina being her brother-in-law.

News of Mrs. Horner's death was brought by the steamer Maui yesterday.

STEAMSHIP CO.'S GOOD OMEN

There is joy in the hearts of the Wilder Steamship people and all because of the coming of a cat. The hoodoo which has been hanging over the company for many moons is thought to have been disposed because last night a beautiful lady cat came to the office and made her bed for the night. She was discovered this morning and fed and well treated.

The coming of the tabby is looked upon as a harbinger of good luck.

The cat will be christened this afternoon with due formality. President C. L. Wight and Superintendent Engineer McKay performing the ceremony.

FIERCE FOREST FIRE BOYD UP AGAINST IT

HAMAKUA DISTRICT TURNS OUT TO FIGHT BIG BLAZE

Managers Write of Danger to Plantations—Five Miles of Forest Above Kukiaua in Flames.

A fierce forest fire is raging in the Hamakua district of Hawaii, according to the latest news received from the big island.

It started with the fire already reported from Ooaka and Kukiaua early this week and has continued to burn fiercely helped on by the high trade winds lately prevailing. On account of the long continued drought, the whole district is very dry, and the fire has spread with great rapidity. When the steamer Maui left Hamakua the whole forest mauka of Kukiaua was ablaze and for a distance of about five miles nothing but bright flame and smoke could be seen.

The entire population of the district is out fighting the flames and trying to keep the fire out of the cane. Up to last accounts they had been successful. No attempt is being made to check the fire, every effort being made to keep the cane free.

Manager Lydgate of Hamakua who was on his way here in the Maui decided to discontinue his trip when he saw the extent of the conflagration and remained at Hamakua to oversee things. Manager Gibbs of Paauhau has stopped sending the locomotives into the fields for fear of sparks from the engines causing a blaze in the cane. The whole country is so dry from the long continued lack of rain that even the ground appears to burn. It is estimated that the loss to Ooaka and Kukiaua plantations previously reported will not be as heavy as at first thought. The loss will be about \$50,000 between the two estates.

WATER FOR HAWAII SUGAR

Reports from Hawaii state that the recent rains in the Hamakua district came at a very opportune time, all of which is gladly welcomed by the plantation managers in the district. This is the first rain of any importance that has fallen for two months, and will greatly benefit the growing cane. In the Kohala district water for irrigation purposes is being developed upon several plantations, and already several large pumping plants have been erected at such plantations as Kohala, Hawi, etc. At Union mills a 48 shaft in the clear is being sunk, and it is expected by the manager, Jas. Renton, that a body of water will be encountered at the 15 foot level.

At the Hawi there has been installed a Risdon high duty pump having a normal capacity of 4,000,000 gallons in twenty-four hours, while at the Kohala plantation a Reider duplex acting pump having a capacity of lifting 8,000,000 gallons in twenty-four hours against a head of 310 feet has been installed.

To what extent the water can be developed in the Kohala district remains to be seen, but from present indications it appears to be practically unlimited.

W. C. WILDER DYING.

At last reports before going to press W. C. Wilder was still alive. It is not thought by his physicians that he will live through the night.

COOPER JUGGLING IMPERIAL CONSUL

The Chinese Consul, by Attorney Thomas Fitch has protested against the transfer of the \$231,000 belonging to the Chinese Immigration Trust Fund from the First National Bank to the vaults of the Treasury of the Territory there to be used to pay the current expenses during the present financial stringency.

The Acting Governor replies to the wide awake Consul in language worthy of a Turkish diplomat. Cooper's reply is to the effect: "Your letter addressed to Wray Taylor, ex-secretary of the Bureau of Immigration was referred to me. I have to say that you must have been misinformed that the money was to be used for the current expenses of the Territory. The money will be held by the Territorial government and will be paid over to the Chinese laborers on their return to their native land."

The protest sent to Wray Taylor by the Imperial Consul, and turned over to the Governor reads: As the representative of the Empire of China and in behalf of the Chinese subjects in the Territory of Hawaii who contributed to the Immigration Trust Fund and who alone are entitled to withdraw or receive the same, I beg to protest against any diversion of said fund for the use of the current expenses of the Territory or any other purpose. It is my duty to take steps in the proper courts and elsewhere, which I will do to protect the interests of the Chinese contributing to this fund. Pending such proceedings I beg to file with you this protest against interference with said moneys."

A similar protest was sent to the First National Bank and all the details regarding the whole matter have been forwarded to the Chinese Minister at Washington.

WONT BORROW MONEY TO FINISH SEWER OUTFALL

No Assurance That Treasury Will be in Shape to Reimburse Any Advances of Money to Secures.

Superintendent J. H. Boyd of the Department of Public Works, to whom the Executive Council delegated the task some weeks ago of raising money to complete the sewer outfall, is not in love with his job.

The work which was abandoned at a stage leaving it in a precarious condition, will require the sum of \$10,000 or \$12,000 to complete according to the original plans. This sum not being available in the Treasury, Mr. Boyd was told to do the best he could. Mr. Boyd finds that he can readily obtain the money from private parties by pledging his own credit and that of friends willing to help out in the emergency. But says he, "I want to see provision made in the appropriation bill for reimbursement before I take the step. If there is a certainty that the Treasurer will by and by have money to repay the advances I can go ahead, secure the funds and complete the sewer. But as matters now stand I do not care to take the chances."

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OAHU ITEMS PASSED

CONFERENCE COMMITTEE DISPOSES OF MORE WORK

Beckley Starts In On a Reconsideration of Items and Establishes a Dangerous Precedent—Appropriation Raised.

In the conference committee this morning, Mr. Beckley started a precedent that is liable to make a great difference in the sum total of the current expense bill. After the appropriations for Lahaina had been settled and the committee was considering Kauai appropriations, he moved to reconsider the item of "Road Papanua to extend to meet Hala'uani road to Kapahu, \$500." After a very short discussion, the item was raised to \$10,000. As the committee was just on the point of adjourning, there was no chance for other members to get up but it is confidently expected that more raises will take place this afternoon.

Molokai was well taken care of in the matter of roads and bridges, the following items passing: Roads and bridges, \$2000; road Kalae to Pauohoku, \$5000; Pelekumu to Waijau, \$1000; new road Pauohoku to Halawa, \$6000; road repairs from Kalawao to Leinapapa point, \$1000.

The sum of \$1000 was passed for roads and bridges on Lanai. This was the original item in the House bill but the Senate amended the item to read \$3100.

For Oahu, \$300,000 in two items for roads in the fourth and fifth districts, passed. Other items were as follows: Extension of Fort street, \$20,000; extension of School street, \$50,000; extension of Vineyard street, \$20,000; extension of Kukui street, \$20,000; extension of Judd street, \$5000; extension of Kuakine street, \$10,000; macadamizing Iwilei, \$10,000; South street Kakaako, \$5000; Niolopa road, \$1800; Kunawai lane, \$500; widening and macadamizing Kunawai lane, \$500; road West side Kapiolani park, \$500; repair Punch-bowl road, \$2000; road east side Kapiolani valley, \$15,000; repair government road up Tantalus, \$3000; widening Pau-oh road, \$10,000; Waiwala, \$20,000; roads and bridges Waiwala \$4000; Puna-loa road from Moanalua road to Puna-loa village, \$5000; bridge at Kohola-lele, Koolau-poko, \$3000; breakwater Kaalaea, Koolau-poko, \$2000, Koolau-poko, \$10,000; Koolauloa \$10,000.

Roads and bridges, Kauai—Bridge at Wainiha river, \$4000; bridge at Lumahai river, \$6000; bridge at Wailua, \$4500; bridge at Kalihiwai, \$10,000; bridge at Waima, \$8000; road, Kikiu-la, Hanalei-uka to Haena, \$3500; Haena to Kalalau, \$600; Kikiu-la to Kalihiwai, \$2000; Kalihiwai to boundary of Ka-wahau, \$3000; Kaohoe to Molokai-kai, \$3000; Keala-a-Kaiole to boundary of Lihue, \$8000; roads and bridges Lihue, \$15,000; roads Koloa to Eleele, \$2500; Kahoonoa to Lawai, \$1200; Kaneohe to Mahinauli, \$5000; Mahinauli to Waima, \$8000; Main Road to Kiki-aoia, \$6000; road from main road along river side, \$1000; embankment, Wai-nea river, \$10,880.

HAWAII FOREST ABLAZE

[By Wireless Telegraph.]

Honolulu, Hawaii, July 11.—Three hundred and fifty acres of cane burned at Ooaka and Kakaia.

From the cane the fire spread to the woods seven miles mauka. Fire in forest seem to be beyond power of human power to control.

DOES, HARUM AND CARVEL

H. W. Barth, by his attorneys, Andrews, Peters & Andrade, has filed a petition in assumpsit asking for judgment of \$15 and costs against John Doe, Richard Roe, James Black, David Harum and Richard Carvel, co-partners, doing business under the firm name and style of the Sing Chong Company.

The petitioner alleges that he is ignorant of the true names of the defendants but prays for the privilege of substituting them, as soon as they can be ascertained, in place of the luminous galaxy of heroes of law and fiction above named. The sum of \$150 is asked for labor performed and materials furnished to the Sing Chong Company. The case of the sixteen Chinese, arrested on the charge of attempting to ruin the business of Chu Fun, proprietor of a wash house has been continued by Judge Gear until 10 o'clock tomorrow.

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He has been attached to my battalion the better part of the last year and the remarkably good record is due in great measure to his excellent work.

Neither yourself nor the most worthy citizen of Honolulu have cause to regret your representation in the U. S. Volunteer army.

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FUJIHARA HAS ESCAPED

HIGH SHERIFF RECEIVED NEWS OVER THE WIRELESS

At a Loss to Know How Japanese Succeeded in Getting Away—Murderer Was to Have Been Hanged Soon.

High Sheriff Brown received by wireless telegraph today, the following important message from Hilo:

"Send by first steamer photograph Fujihara escaped."

H. S. OVEREND.

It will be remembered that Fujihara was the Japanese murderer sent to Hilo three weeks ago to be resented. He was to have been hanged.

It is not likely that the police will have a very easy time finding Fujihara. There are thousands of Japanese on the island of Hawaii living in the mountainous regions where the criminal could very easily be hidden until such time as there should be a chance to spirit him out of the country. It is a well known fact that Japanese will always aid in hiding any of their countrymen who happen to escape from prison.

High Sheriff Brown is at a loss to know how the escape of Fujihara could have been arranged. That there was carelessness somewhere goes without saying.

GOOD SOLDIER SMITH

MAJOR CASE COMMENDS HIS EXCELLENT SERVICES

Former Hawaiian Military Man Gaining New Laurels in Regular Army in the Philippine Islands.

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